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<p><b>January 11- Tribute to Neil Diamond: Academy Theatre, Lindsay</b>  <b>Pick Up Location:</b> Peterborough Wellness Centre, 775 Brealey Dr.  <b>4 PM</b></p>	<p>Swing to the rhythm of live music with Will Chambers and a tribute to Neil Diamond, including hits Sweet Caroline, Song Sung Blue, Cracklin Rose and others. Delicious dinner at the Olympia Restaurant in Lindsay is followed by the musical performance.          (Cost \$100 dinner, music performance and transportation included)  <b>Contact: Bill Collingridge- <a href="mailto:collingridge@persona.ca">collingridge@persona.ca</a> (705.292.0368)</b></p>
<p><b>February- Culinary Adventure Thru Spain</b>          Fresh Dreams 373 Queen St, Peterborough  <b>Time: 6:30 PM for 7:00 PM dinner service</b></p>	<p>Come join us for a culinary adventure through Spain, right here in the heart of Peterborough. We will be the guests of Monica and Alvaro at their restaurant, Fresh Dreams. Our friendly hosts will guide us through the varied and remarkable cuisine of this ancient country. They have selected each dish to tell a story and give us an insight into one of the most iconic of cuisines. (Cost \$80 per person which includes meal, desert and non-alcoholic beverages and covers all taxes and tips. Wine, beer and spirits are available to purchase.)  <b>Contact: Jim Baston- <a href="mailto:jbaston@nexicom.net">jbaston@nexicom.net</a> (416.254.2383)</b></p>
<p><b>April 30- Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat</b>  <b>Showplace Performance Ctr</b>          290 George St N, Peterborough ON  <b>7:30 PM</b></p>	<p>Put on by Peterborough Theater Guild. One of the most enduring shows of all time. It is a reimagining of the Biblical Jacob, eleven brothers and the coat of many colors. Told entirely through song, lyrics by Tim Rice and music by Andrew Lloyd Webber. A night of fun, color, dance numbers, those enduring songs, one of those shows where you forget what's happening in your real life and you can see the joy on the audience's faces as they leave the theater.          (Cost- \$42)  <b>Contact: Peggy Watton- <a href="mailto:pwatton1@cogeco.ca">pwatton1@cogeco.ca</a> (705.749.3631)</b></p>
<p><b>May- Wutai Shan Buddhist Garden Tour</b>  <b>Pick Up Location:</b> Peterborough Wellness Centre, 775 Brealey Dr.  <b>8:30 AM</b></p>	<p>A unique setting on 550 acres of rolling hills near Bethany. The Wutai Shan Buddhist Garden is the largest Buddhist institution in Canada. It features a main Buddha Hall fronted by an enormous Buddha. The Hall construction is based on ancient Chinese large interlocking wooden brackets (no nails) made of rosewood. The Hall has many Buddhist features including 22,000 smaller carved buddhas. Across the landscape are platforms and gardens to visit throughout the property. We plan on having a tour guide. (Cost TBD but will include lunch, guided tour and transportation)  <b>Contact: Mike Hart- <a href="mailto:mharthr@gmail.com">mharthr@gmail.com</a> (705.741.1749)</b></p>
<p><b>June- Kingston Penitentiary Tour</b>  <b>Pick Up Location:</b> Peterborough Wellness Centre, 775 Brealey Dr.  <b>8:30 AM</b></p>	<p>Kingston Penitentiary housed maximum security inmates from 1830-2013. A guided tour by former staff will share the history, routines, riots, escapes and visits to many of the unique features of the institution.          (Cost TBD but will include lunch, tour and transportation)  <b>Contact: Mike Hart- <a href="mailto:mharthr@gmail.com">mharthr@gmail.com</a> (705.741.1749)</b></p>

<p><b>July- Little Lake/Lift Lock Boat Tour</b></p> <p><b>Cruise departs 3:00 PM</b></p>	<p>You will be entertained by the Captain's colourful commentary on the history of Peterborough and the Trent Severn Waterway. The tour takes us across Little Lake, past the Peterborough Centennial Fountain and into the City of Peterborough portion of the 118-year-old lock system, the first traditional flood lock raises us 12 feet, to the highlight of our trip where we go up and over the Peterborough Lift lock which is the world's highest hydraulic lift lock which lifts 65 feet above the city! (Cost \$30) Suggested lunch before the cruise at Jack's Family Restaurant just across the street (reservations can be made).</p> <p><b>Contact: June &amp; Marty Lamoureux- <a href="mailto:junebruce@yahoo.ca">junebruce@yahoo.ca</a> (705.748.9534)</b></p>
<p><b>August- Picnic in the Park:</b> Riverview Park and Zoo, Peterborough</p> <p><b>11 AM</b></p>	<p>Join us for a fun-filled afternoon. Get plenty of rest the night before because you won't want to miss any of the action. There will be good times, games and many surprises. (Cost \$10)</p> <p><b>Contact: Donna Brown-Bowers- <a href="mailto:donnabrownbowers@gmail.com">donnabrownbowers@gmail.com</a> (705.760.9689)</b></p>
<p><b>September 5- Buckhorn Area Quilt Guild Show</b></p>	<p>The Buckhorn Area Quilt Show features over 100 beautiful handmade quilts. The outdoor setting of this venue adds to the charm of the quilt show. The show features a stunning display of members work, quilt related displays, invited vendors and a Feature Quilter. We plan on having a show guide. (Cost- \$10 admission + bus cost and lunch TBD)</p> <p><b>Contact: Mike Hart- <a href="mailto:mharthr@gmail.com">mharthr@gmail.com</a> (705.741.1749)</b></p>
<p><b>September- Autumn Leaf Tour and Mystery Tour</b> Pick Up Location: Peterborough Wellness Centre, 775 Brealey Dr.</p> <p><b>8:30 AM</b></p>	<p>Pack your camera and join us for a fun and carefree trip to see the spectacular fall colours with our hardwood forest mystery tour. We will return to Peterborough by approximately 5:00 PM after an amazing mystery trip with many photo-op sights along the way. Comfort stops will be arranged along the route. (Cost- TBD including lunch and comfort bus transportation)</p> <p><b>Contact: Bill Collingridge- <a href="mailto:collingridge@persona.ca">collingridge@persona.ca</a> (705.292.0368)</b></p>
<p><b>October - Car Rally</b> Royal Canadian Legion, 1550 Lansdowne St. W.</p>	<p>Another great car rally is being planned and details will be forthcoming. (Cost TBD)</p> <p><b>Contact: June &amp; Marty Lamoureux - <a href="mailto:mjlamoureux@yahoo.com">mjlamoureux@yahoo.com</a> (705.748.9534)</b></p>
<p><b>November- Christmas Pantomime</b> Pick Up Location: Peterborough Wellness Centre, 775 Brealey Dr. <b>(Last Wednesday in November)</b></p>	<p>Panto at the Stirling Festival Theatre is a musical comedy format that originated in England and is performed around Christmas. Based on a well-known fairy tales, it features songs, gags, slapstick comedy, magic, dancing, gender-crossing actors, topical humour, and audience participation. (Cost approx. \$48.50 (show) and pre-show buffet meal (\$30) with roast beef (with one other meat, usually chicken or turkey), cold salads, vegetables/potatoes and delicious desserts. Coffee and tea included. Cash bar. Bus transportation TBD.)</p> <p><b>Contact: Ray Bowers- <a href="mailto:rjbowers07@gmail.com">rjbowers07@gmail.com</a> (705.760.9689)</b></p>
<p><b>December- Christmas Luncheon</b></p>	<p><b>Contact: Carolyn Davidson- <a href="mailto:carolyndavidson@nexicom.net">carolyndavidson@nexicom.net</a> (705.652.1065)</b></p>

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